

MANDURAH LATE BUS SERVICE

Petition

Mr J.P.D. Edwards presented the following petition bearing the signatures of 22 persons -

To the Honourable the Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly of the Parliament of Western Australia in Parliament assembled.

We the undersigned, ask that a late bus service from Perth to Mandurah be implemented immediately. Currently the last direct bus from Perth to Mandurah leaves at 6pm weekdays and 5.15pm weekends and public holidays; the last bus Perth to Mandurah with a changeover in Rockingham leaves Perth 7.23pm weekdays and 7.12pm weekends and public holidays.

To not have a late night bus service means that we cannot go to shows or cinemas in Perth; cannot visit friends or relatives in hospital; cannot train late at sport or go to illuminated sporting events; cannot dine out with friends at city restaurants and if asked to work back late by an employer cannot do so unless we drive to work which of course is more costly.

Now we ask that the Legislative Assembly request the Government to provide this extra bus service for Mandurah people so that they do not feel isolated and do not feel they have a Government that is not interested in their wellbeing.

[See petition No 209.]